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ROSEMARY PERSONAL AND LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. R. D. Jenkins, county welfare officer, left this week for Chapel Hill where he will take a six weeks course in child welfare work.

Mr. C. B. King of Gasburg, Va., was in town Wednesday on business.

Mr. T. M. Jenkins spent several days in Hampton and Newport News, Va., last week.

Mr. W. E. Matthews has about completed his new home on Jackson Street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Coleman, of Boykins, Va., were here Sunday.

Mr. Charles Horne, of Richmond, spent Tuesday in Rosemary.

Miss Angelyn Alexander arrived from Scotland Neck Wednesday night and will be associated with Miss Reed at the Rosemary Mfg. Company's cannery this summer.

Mr. H. G. Goodman, of Petersburg, was here Tuesday.

Mr. H. L. Bell went to Halifax Tuesday on business.

Mr. L. G. Shell spent the week-end at the Beach.

Misses Sarah and Lillian Bell Jenkins are visiting relatives at Hampton and Newport News, Va.

The Rosemary Drug Co., is making some improvements in their store building.

Mr. J. E. Cox is remodeling his cottages on Roanoke Avenue and making considerable improvements on them.

Messrs. M. G. Jenkins, Clyde Taylor and J. E. Dobbin attended the Richmond-Rocky Mount Ball game at Rocky Mount, N. C. Tuesday.

The Revival meeting at the Baptist Church closed Wednesday night.

Mrs. D. A. Culbreth of Clinton, is the guest of her daughter Mrs. Chas. M. Lance, at the parsonage.

Mr. D. L. Powell, of New York, was in town Tuesday.

Miss Nason, of the hospital staff, is visiting her parents in Staunton, Va.

Mr. G. E. Grissom, of Henderson, was here Tuesday.

Mr. Jeff Palmer, of Charlotte, spent Tuesday in town.

Mrs. L. G. Shell and children are spending the summer at Virginia Beach, Va.

Mr. C. F. Ogletree has recently installed an up-to-date Soda Fountain in his five and ten cent store.

Work on the deep well for the new laundry near Roanoke Junction has begun. This will be known as a wet-wash laundry for household laundry.

Mr. W. G. Thompson returned Wednesday from Stanitorium, N. C. after spending five or six weeks there.

Mr. W. F. Joyner left yesterday for Detroit Mich.

The Boys Club of All Saints Episcopal Church enjoyed a hike and a Camp Supper Sunday afternoon under the directions of Mr. Leonardo Andrea.

Mr. B. C. Harrell, of Chapel Hill, was here Monday in the interests of the University of North Carolina.

Mr. C. J. Levengood of Winston-Salem was in town Wednesday.

Mr. R. F. Jenkins, Jr., of Columbia, S. C. spent Wednesday here.

NAVY PICTURES

EXHIBITED HERE

A navy recruiting station stopped over a couple of days this week, pitching their tent on the vacant lots just beyond the Glover building.

A unique feature of this party was their moving picture outfit. A screen was placed on the side of the small office building occupied by J. H. Cranwell, and pictures exhibited showing some parts of navy life.

SIX MORE LOAFERS LODGED IN JAIL

Sent up for Stealing and Receiving Stolen Goods. One for Indecent Conduct.

Chief Dobbins broke up what appeared to be an organized bunch of negro loafers who gained their livelihood stealing from various warehouses, when he arrested, Eugene Martin, Reginal Martin, Richard Harrison, Will Ingram and John Blackwell. The first three for house breaking and stealing, and the other two for receiving stolen goods.

Martin was convicted on the charge of breaking into the S. A. L. Warehouse and Harrison and Ingram the warehouse of the L. G. Shell Co., all five were placed under \$500 bond, in default of which they went to jail. Marrie Mills was convicted of indecently exposing his person and went along with the others in default of a \$500 bond.

HOW PRICES ROSE—AND FELL

Interesting conclusions may be drawn from a recently completed analysis of wholesale and retail prices and wages for the years 1860 to 1872 in which tendencies strikingly like those of the present day are revealed, showing finally a slump in prices which, economists and students of market conditions say, soon may be expected if history is to repeat itself.

The figure of 100 is taken as the basic level of all three in 1860. There was a gradual rise during 1861 and 1862 and 1863, and at the end of the last year wholesale prices were at 150; retail prices at 140; and wages at 130. During the year 1864 came the sharpest rise and wholesale prices jumped to the 210 mark, reaching the peak in January, 1865. Meanwhile both retail prices and wages had taken a more gradual rise, the former standing at 165 in January and wages being at 150.

In April, 1865, the war ended and there came a sudden drop in wholesale prices, which fell to 160 in July of that year and then rallied up to 180 by the end of the year. Retail prices and wages continued a steady rise throughout the year, not being affected by the end of the war and reached the respective levels of 170 and 165 at the end of 1865.

In the year following the close of the war, or 1866, there was a marked variation in the trend of the three. Wholesale prices fluctuated rather violently but with a constant downward trend, and they continued this downward course with occasional sharp rallies for seven years following the war, scoring a net loss of from five to ten points a year, until in 1872, just prior to the great panic, they were at 130 or just 30 points above the pre-war figure.

If history is repeating it self the man who now denies himself useless luxuries and puts his money in government securities or in other standard investments will be on a sound financial basis when the present troublesome days are over.

War Loan Organization, Fifth Federal Reserve District, Richmond, Va.

NORTH CAROLINA, HALIFAX COUNTY.—IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

J. M. Pippin, Jr., Notice.

Maggie Pippin. The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Halifax County to dissolve the bonds of matrimony now existing between the said plaintiff and defendant; and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the term of the Superior Court of said County to be held on the fourth Monday in August, 1920, at the Court House of said County in Halifax, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief in said complaint.

S. M. Gary, Clerk of the Superior Court. This 29th day of June, A. D. 1920. A. L. Clark, Att'y. Jy 2-4t.

UNIVERSITY NEWS LETTER

With attendance sweeping up to the 1200 mark, a limit fixed only by the capacity of the University to accommodate students, the 33rd session of the University of North Carolina summer school swung into its second week facing a more varied activity than Chapel Hill has ever known in any one summer.

In addition to the more than 700 North Carolina teachers who are studying courses in education and the 400 students taking regular college courses, a series of institutes has been announced lasting almost to the very opening of the University for the 126th session next fall. The public welfare institutes, conducted jointly by the University and the southern division of the Red Cross for social workers of all kinds, will continue until September 13, the last two weeks consisting of field work away from Chapel Hill.

A special child welfare institute will be conducted July 5-10 under the auspices of the National Child Welfare Association, with Mrs. Ira D. Hasbrouck field secretary of the association, in immediate charge. The commercial secretaries of North Carolina, secretaries of chambers of Commerce, boards of trade, and other industrial and civic bodies, will hold an institute, August 9-14, the first of its kind in this state.

Overlapping that institute will come another, the community service institute, at which W. C. Crosby, secretary of the North Carolina community service bureau, will have his 40 field agents for a conference and discussion of their problems. At the same time the second meeting of the state and county council will be held, August 17-19, with representatives from many of the state and county departments which are closely connected, present for a rehashing on both sides of the difficulties of their work.

The new public welfare institutes, the beginning of the school of public welfare in the University, have attracted a large number of social workers. Commissioner Roland F. Beasley has brought over almost his entire office force, including Mrs. Clarence Johnson, director of child welfare work, Mr. Harry G. Newman, of the state board, and Mrs. Powell, his own secretary, all of them attending classes. Twenty county superintendents of public welfare are here now for work and a number of social workers from outside the state.

A lot of attention is being paid this summer to music and dramatic productions in the summer school. Professor Paul J. Weaver, assisted by Williams Breach, director of community singing in Winston-Salem, will direct the production of a musical cantata and a chorus; and Professor Frederick Koch, director of the Carolina Playmakers, will have charge of a production of some of the original North Carolina folk-lore plays written by University students. He will be assisted by Miss Grace Griswold, director of the Theatre Workshop in New York.

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WITH THE CHURCHES

All Saints Church

(Episcopal)
Rev. Lewis N. Taylor, Rector
Roanoke Avenue
Leonardo Andrea, Layworker

Next Sunday is the Fifth Sunday after Trinity.

Church school and Adults Bible Class, T. W. Mullen, Supt. at 9:45

11 Celebration Holy Communion and sermon. 8 evening service and sermon.

The Church with a welcome.

Rosemary Methodist Church

Service 11 and 8.
Meeting of the Board of Stewards Monday 8 P. M.

Womans Missionary Society Tuesday 8 P. M. at the parsonage.

Prayer Meeting Wednesday 8 P. M.

The public is cordially invited.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Eugene C. Few Pastor

Sunday, July 4th 1920.
Sunday School 9:45 A. M.

W. V. Woodroof, Supt.
If you are not in Sunday School we want you, you may find profit with us.

Preaching services 11 A. M. sermon subject, "My Declaration of Independence."

Services 8 P. M. Sermon subject, "A Man on Fire."

Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 P. M.

We welcome you into true worship with us.

Presbyterian Church

Rev. Stanley White, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.

Morning Service 11:00 A. M.

Christian Endeavor 7:15 P. M.

Evening Service 8:00 P. M.

Prayer meeting 8:00 P. M. on Wednesday.

Choir practice on Wednesday following prayer meeting.

There will be a preparatory service for the communion on Saturday night at 8:00 P. M.

The sacrament of the Lords Supper will be celebrated at the morning service.

NOTICE

Attention of all ex-soldiers who served in the War with Spain at home or abroad, or those who saw service in the Philippine Insurrection or the China relief expedition and their widows the late Congress passed laws of the utmost interest to above class of soldiers and if they will send name and address to Walter S. Buchanan, National Aid-Camp, Army and Navy Union, Route 2, Louisa, Va., he will be glad to advise you fully as to your rights under the new law, prompt action will mean the possible saving of money, as the pension commences from the filing of the claim. Mr. Buchanan is also a member of the General Nelson A. Miles Camp, No. 1, United Spanish War Veterans and the President's own Garrison, No. 104, of the Army and Navy Union, and wishes to assist his comrades in every possible manner. Write him and enclose stamp for reply.

BAND CONCERT

The bands of Roanoke Rapids and Rosemary are indebted to Mr. S. F. Patterson for their new summer uniforms, which will be worn for the first time at the concert at the Roanoke Rapids Park on July 4th to be given by the combined bands.

Seats sufficient to accommodate several hundred people have been placed in the Park, and the band stand will be completed in time for the concert on July 4th.

Lines to Be Remembered.
Advice is like snow, the softer it falls, the longer it dwells upon and the deeper it sinks into the mind.—Ovid.

SANITARY LAWS TO BE RAPIDLY ENFORCED

To enforce strict compliance with the State sanitary law the engineering division of the State board of health is placing additional inspectors in the field for the purpose of checking up communities which have previously been inspected by the regular field men of the health department. Where previous instructions for the construction and maintenance of sanitary privies have not been followed prosecutions under the law are being made.

Owing to the large territory contained within the State it has been an impossibility for the inspectors employed to complete the work of inspection throughout the State since the law became effective. This work is going forward, however, as rapidly as it can be efficiently done. This reinspection just begun is for the purpose of checking up and making sure that the law is obeyed.

Laurinburg was the first of the towns to receive a reinspection, and this was officially requested by the local authorities. Spring Hope, Jamesville, Robersonville, Plymouth, Henderson, Nashville and Norwood are among others visited. From all these reports indicate the desire of the people generally to follow the provisions against the spread of typhoid fever, colitis and other diarrheal diseases the germs of which are distributed by flies.

Among recent prosecutions were three of the largest property holders in the town of Henderson. Each defendant entered plea of guilty and judgement was suspended for thirty days pending their compliance with the law. At Norwood six property owners were convicted for failure to provide sanitary privies.

R. B. Wilson.

PRIMARY JULY 3

Resolved by the County Board of Elections of Halifax County:

1. That Saturday July 3rd, 1920 be and the same is hereby fixed as the day and the various voting precincts of Halifax County as the places for holding a second primary for nominating certain officers for offices which failed of nomination in the primary held on June 5th, 1920.

2. That the primary shall be held under the same rules, laws and regulations as the Primary of June 5th, 1920, and in accordance with Section 4292 a and the subsections thereof of Gregory's Biennial Revision of 1917 and amendments thereto.

By order of the County Board of Elections of Halifax County, North Carolina.

Whit. A. Johnston, Chairman.

BOTH LOCAL TEAMS

LOST LAST SATURDAY

Local fans and players were slam out of luck last Saturday; both the Rosemary and Roanoke Rapids teams losing their games to the time of 6 to 3.

A team from Rocky Mount crossed bats with Roanoke Rapids and the Woodland team with Rosemary.

Both visiting teams made their six runs in one inning in the early part of the game midst a comedy of errors mingled with a few hits.

MR. J. M. TAYLOR HOST

Mr. J. M. Taylor gave the members of the local camp of Woodmen of the World, a very enjoyable ice cream supper in the rooms of the camp last Monday evening.

The ladies of the Episcopal Church will hold an ice cream supper in the park at Rosemary Saturday night. The public is invited.

FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION

The combined bands of Rosemary and Roanoke Rapids, numbering forty musicians, have arranged an unusually attractive program for the concert to be given in the Park on Sunday, July 4th commencing at 3:30 p. m. No efforts are being spared to make this concert the best ever given in Roanoke Rapids and it is to be hoped that everybody will attend. The program will be as follows:

PART I

1. March, National Emblem, Bagley.
2. Overture, Empyrean, Hayes.
3. Waltz, Life's Dream, Buhals.
4. Overture, The Troubadour, Myers.
5. Mexican Dance, Santa Rosa, Kiefer.
6. Overture, The Iron Count, King.
7. Two-Step, Our Director, Bigelow.

PART II

8. March, Indiana State Band, Farrav.
 9. Overture, Inspiration, Hayes.
 10. Waltz, Kittiwake, Myers.
 11. Overture, Arcadia, Lanveus.
 12. Intermezzo, The Flower Girl, Wenvich.
 13. March, The Union Forever, Scouton.
 14. Fantasia, The Soldier's Dream, Whiteley.
 - a. Trumpet Call.
 - b. Tramp, Tramp, Tramp.
 - c. Tenting Tonight.
 - d. Bugle Call.
 - e. Glory Hallelujah.
 - f. Just Before The Battle Mother.
 - g. Yankee Doodle.
 - h. Home, Sweet Home.
 - i. Dixie.
 - j. Star Spangled Banner.
 - k. Taps.
 - l. Soldiers Prayer.
- Ed. Owens, Director Rosemary Band.
Author Whitely, Director Roanoke Rapids Band.

POWELLTOWN ITEMS

Mrs. Annie Toppins and little daughter, Virginia, of Richmond, is visiting Mrs. A. G. Medlin this week.

Mrs. M. A. Daniel has arrived from Petersburg where she has been for some time.

Mrs. Moody left Monday for Norfolk Hospital.

Misses Iola and Annie Bell Gray spent Sunday in Norfolk.

Little Nellie Luter, daughter of Mrs. D. E. Luter, entertained a few friends at her home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Marvin Starks was the guest of Mrs. L. A. Hudson Monday afternoon.

Mr. Nathorn Ethridge, of Hobgood, spent Saturday and Sunday here with relatives.

Miss Eula Hodgins, of Scotland Neck, is visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. Robert Merritt left Sunday for Norfolk.

Miss Annie Hockaday, of Bolling, spent the week-end with Miss Lottie Hudson.

Mr. Mazor Morris of Rocky Mount, is visiting friends here this week.

Mr. Robert Medlin, of Durham, is visiting relatives here.

Mr. Eugene Ethridge, of Hobgood, spent Saturday and Sunday here with relatives.

Mr. Pepper, of Littleton, spent the week-end here with relatives.

Mrs. John Dickens and family, of Norfolk, are visiting Mrs. L. A. Dickens this week.

PARCEL POST SALE

The Ladies of Tabor Church will have a "parcel post sale" at the School House Monday July 5, 8:30 o'clock for the benefit of the new church. Cream will be sold and every body will have a good time. Come!

ROANOKE RAPIDS PERSONAL AND LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. L. W. Clements spent the week-end in Norfolk.

Mr. P. C. Duncan spent Sunday in Clayton with his family.

Mr. Will Duncan, of Newport News, is visiting relatives here this week.

Misses Viola King, Norine Cranwell and Lessie Bray spent Sunday at Ocean View.

Messrs. Elliot Love, Bruce Tillery and J. Butts Dickens spent Sunday at Ocean View.

Miss Murch Raybon, of Lumberton, is visiting Miss Beadie Clark.

Mr. F. C. Williams spent the week-end in Franklin with relatives.

Mr. F. F. Patterson spent the week-end in Raleigh.

Miss Mina Smoot has returned home from Richmond after completing a course in Stenography at Massey Business College.

Mrs. W. G. Lynch and son, Graham, have returned home after spending some time in Oxford.

Miss Julia Harry has returned from a trip to Philadelphia.

Miss Ruth Clark, of Weldon, spent last week in the home of Mrs. J. Frank West.

Mr. Tillery Roberson, of the U. S. Navy, spent the week-end here with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Othur Smith and family, of Cedartown, Ga., have arrived hereto make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Woodruff and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Spivey and son, James Lewis, spent Sunday at Rehobath.

Mrs. Mike Faison and daughter, Mary, and Mr. Dallas Reaves spent Sunday at Ocean View.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Tillery and Mr. W. S. Hancock and sons, Joseph and Allen, spent Sunday in Scotland Neck.

Mr. Junius Wrenn spent the week-end at his home in Vulture.

Mr. W. S. Hancock spent a few days in Norfolk this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beck and Mrs. Bullock spent Monday in Oxford.

Miss Addye Williams spent several days in Richmond this week.

Mr. C. E. Matthews, Jr., has returned from a visit to Asheville.

Mr. S. F. Patterson is spending several days out of town this week.

Mr. J. S. Massenburg has accepted a position with the National Loan & Insurance Company.

Miss Lucille Smith spent several days in Weldon with her sister this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Shell and family and Mr. R. E. Shell and Miss Annie Taylor spent Sunday at South Hill with friends and relatives.

Mr. F. M. Coburn has returned from a business trip to Baltimore.

Messrs. William Jackson and Francis Wyche left this week for Camp Sapphire, where they will spend two months.

Misses Alice Hockaday and Ethel Leatherwood spent Tuesday in Enfield.

Mesdames Annie M. Clements and Roland Coker, of Garysburg, spent Tuesday in town on business.

Mr. Roger Warren, of Plymouth spent the week-end here with friends and relatives.

Miss Hallie Stokes, of Blackstone, is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Haraision.

Miss Coleman, of Emporia, has accepted a position with Prof. A. E. Akers.

Miss Elouise Thompson, left this week for Wilmington after spending some time here with relatives.

Mr. Pollard Bo, of Norfolk, spent several days here this week visiting his mother, Mrs. W. G. Thompson.